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I have recently learned of NAB petition 04-160. As a consumer and user of normal broadcast radio and satellite radio, I respectfully urge you to reject this petition.

In the mountains where I live, satellite radio is often my only choice of listening without static in the background or the signal cutting out. I value the ability to receive both weather and road conditions (hopefully soon in Denver). Please do not limit our options as consumers to pay for this valuable service.

I strongly believe that satellite radio and broadcast radio can complement each other without Federally imposed restrictions such as petition 04-160. Please reject this petition and allow time to prove that this is a fact. This healthy competition will benefit all consumers.

Respectfully,

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